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## Facts of the Census Big Class is Installed Congress Claims Tener

### SOUTHWESTERN PENNSYLVANIA ONE OF MOST PROGRESSIVE DISTRICTS IN UNITED STATES

#### CHARLEROI SHOWS LARGE PERCENTAGE OF GAIN BY FIGURES JUST ANNOUNCED

Population of Eight Southwestern Counties of State Larger Than That of Several Western States Combined

#### WASHINGTON COUNTY NEARLY AS LARGE AS IDAHO

That Charleroi is in one of the most progressive districts of the United States, is shown by census figures prepared by Census Supervisor Charles O. Frye. Charleroi shows a larger percentage of gain in population than any county in Pennsylvania, and Washington county makes the largest county gain in the State.

The gains of a number of counties in Western Pennsylvania are tabulated as follows, showing little Greene county down at the bottom with a gain of only 2 per cent.

Charleroi and Washington county are in the lead, with the percentage of gains of the districts announced by the Director of the Census for this end of the State.

	1910	1900	1890	Gain over 1900	Pc. Gain
Charleroi	9,615	5,930	.....	3,685	62.1
Washington Co.	143,680	92,181	71,155	51,499	55.9
Fayette Co.	167,449	110,412	80,006	57,037	51.6
Westmoreland Co.	231,304	160,175	112,819	71,129	44.4
Beaver Co.	78,353	56,432	50,077	21,921	38.8
Allegheny Co.	1,018,463	775,058	551,959	243,405	31.4
Lawrence Co.	70,032	53,827	48,131	16,205	30.1
Butler Co.	72,689	56,963	55,339	15,726	27.6
Greene Co.	28,822	28,281	28,935	601	0.21
Total for S. S. Western Counties	1,810,792	1,333,329	998,421	477,523	35.8
Whole State	7,665,111	6,302,115	5,258,014	1,392,996	21.6

Colorado	538,700
Delaware	184,735
Florida	528,542
Idaho	161,772
Montana	243,320
Nevada	42,335
New Hampshire	411,588
New Mexico	195,310
North Dakota	319,146
South Dakota	401,570
Oklahoma	398,331
Oregon	413,538
Rhode Island	428,556
Utah	276,749
Vermont	343,641
Washington	518,103
Wyoming	92,531
Maine	694,466
Alaska	63,592

The above eighteen States and one territory had a population of 6,257,532 in 1900. Pennsylvania's population in 1900 was 6,302,115. Pennsylvania is represented by two United States Senators, and the above States with a less population have 36.

By comparing our 1910 figures with the 1900 population of the States, the combined population of the eight Southwestern Pennsylvania counties of Allegheny, Beaver, Butler, Fayette, Greene, Lawrence, Washington and Westmoreland is greater than the combined population of the following

eight States and two territories, too wit: Arizona, Colorado, Delaware, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Wyoming, Hawaii and Alaska.

Mr. Frye's census district, consisting of Washington, Beaver, Lawrence and Butler counties, has a population of 364,754, which compared with the population of the States ten years ago is larger than the combined population of Nevada, Wyoming, Idaho and the territory of Alaska and larger than the population of any one of fourteen smaller States.

The population of Charleroi is larger than that of Ohio, Scott or Union counties in the State of Indiana and over half as large as that of Blackford, Benton, Brown, Crawford, Fayette, Franklin, Fulton, Jasper, Jennings, Lagrange, Martin, Newton, Orange, Owen, Pulaski, Starke, Steuben, Switzerland, Vermillion or Warren counties in the same State.

The 1910 population of Washington county is larger than the 1900 population of the States of Wyoming and Nevada. It is almost as large as the States of Idaho and New Mexico and over half as large as the State of Utah.

### ELKS WILL REMEMBER THE DEAD

At the Palace Theatre, beginning at 8 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Charleroi Lodge No. 494, B. P. O. Elks, will hold their annual Lodge of Sorrow to consecrate the memory of those who during the past year have been called by the Grim Reaper. Rev. Father John L. S. Martin of Waynes-

burg will make the address, and the eulogy will be pronounced by Tom P. Sloan.

Special music will be furnished for the occasion by the Charleroi Elks' chorus, the Palace Orchestra, and Miss Lillian Hammit of Uniontown. James N. Moore and Clarence H. Chandler, were the members who died during the past year.

Rev. Martin, who is a past exalted ruler of the Waynesburg lodge is said to be a particularly fine speaker. He has a number of acquaintances here, among whom are Hon. J. K. Tener, Governor elect.

#### Coal Delivered

On order to any place in town. Address Wm. Lambert, 300 Fallowfield avenue Charleroi. 9616p

### NOVEMBER SHIPMENTS OF COAL BETTER THAN DURING TENTH MONTH

October Record at Lock No. 4 Is Surpassed By 131,000 Bushels By the Eleventh Month Total

There were 14,669,000 bushels of coal shipped through Lock No. 4 during the month of November, according to the report of Lockmaster A. F. McGowan. The shipment is better than that of October by 131,000 bushels.

During the month there were 588 lockages down stream, 319 steamers and 1,477 boats, barges and flats passed down.

Up stream there were 559 lockages. There were 317 steamers and 1,418 boats, barges and flats passed up. The rainfall during the month was 1.74 inches.

The October shipment of coal was 14,538,000 bushels. Last year the November shipment of coal was 15,822,000 bushels and the previous year 11,863,000 bushels. In 1907 the November shipment totaled 19,405,000 bushels.

### CHARLEROI COUNCIL HAS BIG CLASS FOR INITIATION

Local Royal Arcanums Distinguish Themselves By Taking Large Class to Pittsburg

#### CAPTAINS OF OPPOSING SIDES REWARDED

One hundred persons representing the Charleroi Council No. 1240, Royal Arcanum, with a class of 71 members for initiation, last night went to Pittsburg, where at the Monongahela House a class of 150 from various parts of Western Pennsylvania was initiated. The supreme officers were present at the meeting and a picked class from Pittsburg did the initiatory work.

There was a large assemblage of lodges from various parts of Western Pennsylvania, and classes from a number of places. The Charleroi class was the largest however of any to be initiated, a membership contest conducted by sides captained by Robert Vetter and Joseph Allsopp having been conducted recently with good results. The Charleroi council has a membership of 270.

Several of the officers of the local council were at the Pittsburg meeting last night among them being: Fred Pieper, regent; John Fries, treasurer; Joseph Schoener, secretary; Otto Dorbitz, chaplain, and Fred Powell, auditor.

Robert Vetter's side was the winner of the recent contest, and both he and Mr. Allsopp were presented with gold rings by the supreme officers and with silver spoon sets by the State council.

### COUNTY MAY START FIGHT AGAINST WHITE PLAGUE AT THE COUNTY HOME

Movement on Foot for the Installing of New Hospital at Which Tuberculosis Will Be Treated

#### STATE WILL LIKELY BE ASKED TO AID PROJECT

If the plans of county officials who have investigated and discussed the matter are carried to completion a tuberculosis hospital will be located in the county at the children's home. At a meeting held Wednesday at the county home it was found that the consensus of opinion favored the project which has been quietly agitated for some time past.

ing from the white plague could be properly cared for was imperative. Just what steps must be taken in order to secure such an institution as is desired are not yet known, but it was decided yesterday that the necessary information would be secured without delay and an effort made to have the State aid in the plan.

At the conference there were present Poor Directors Emery, Courson and Buchanan County Commissioners Berry, Hill and Smith, Dr. G. B. Woods physician at the county home, Dr. S. N. Dague, physician at the children's home Dr. W. J. Burns, of Wofftown, and W. W. Hunter, Controller Moffit was unable to be present but stated at his office that he was heartily in favor of the plan.

The scheme was fully discussed and all were of the opinion that the need of a tuberculosis hospital where inmates of the two institutions suffer-

In 1909 a two-roomed house was fitted up at the county home for the accommodation of a limited number of persons who were suffering from tubercular trouble. At the present time five persons are housed in this place, but more room is needed. As a site for the proposed institution a part of the children's home grounds on the hillside has been suggested. This place is high and dry and convenient to both the trolley line and railroad. It is expected that further action along the line proposed will be taken within a short time.

#### Birthday Surprise

Zenobe Boudoux, was tendered a surprise last night by a number of his school mates in honor of his sixteenth birthday at the home of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Boudoux on Washington avenue. The evening was pleasantly spent with various diversions by the young folks and refreshments were served.

### EXPECTS TO RESUME SEAT IN CONGRESS NEXT WEEK

#### OUTLINE PLANS FOR FIGHT ON TUBERCULOSIS

Charleroi and Monongahela Physicians on Special Committee

Preliminary arrangements are being made by Dr. J. W. Hunter of Charleroi and Dr. J. B. Wood, of Monongahela, constituting a special committee from the Washington County Medical Association for the carrying on of a campaign against tuberculosis in the county by the county association.

Drs. Hunter and Wood were appointed at the last meeting of the association to have charge of the preliminary part of the work, and it is planned to have tuberculosis displays in the schools as a means of educating the children in the methods of prevention of the disease. It is intended to have a speaker at each school in the county with the exception of Monongahela, where a tuberculosis display was held a few days ago.

### WORKING FOR AID OF GIRLS

Salvation Army Captain Solicits Contributions

#### TO SUPPORT RESCUE HOME

To solicit funds for the support of the Rescue Mission Home at Bellevue for fallen girls and babies, Capt. Harriet Speelman of the Salvation Army was in Charleroi and vicinity this week. She secured considerable aid, it is stated, from various sources.

The Rescue Home work is receiving a great impetus. The institution is conducted by the Salvation Army through popular subscriptions. The Salvation Army workers go into the slums and tenements of cities convincing fallen girls there of the error of their ways, and if possible take them to their home. Then if there is anything to be had in the way of employment in good neighborhoods and among the proper surroundings, homes are procured for the girls. Babies are cared for at the home the same as they would be in children's hospitals or nurseries.

While in Charleroi Capt. Speelman met with various churches and talked in a number of meetings.

#### Dance

All the latest dances will be programmed at the Friday night club dances, in Bank of Charleroi Hall, Friday evening of each week. Music by Jenkins orchestra. 9613

#### Governor-Elect Tener At Home Only for Brief Time

#### IS VERY BUSY MAN NOW

Returned from East in Time To Attend Business Men's Banquet

Without having had much more than time to greet his friends at home, Governor-elect John K. Tener will leave Charleroi Sunday evening on his way to Washington, D. C., to assume his duties as Representative of the Twenty-fourth district in Congress. Mr. Tener will, according to present arrangements get in Washington Wednesday morning, to be present for the first real business sessions of Congress.

Governor-elect Tener came home from a ten days' trip to the east last Thursday evening to be present at the first annual banquet of the Charleroi Business Men's Association, of which he is a member. He was one of the speakers of the affair. Friday he spent at home and today, Saturday, he took a business trip to Pittsburg. In all probability Mr. Tener will return home for the Christmas holidays, but expects to return to Congress and remain there until his inauguration as Pennsylvania's chief executive on January 17.

#### GOVERNOR-ELECT WILL SPEAK AT PITTSBURG AFFAIR

Governor elect John K. Tener will speak at the McKinley day dinner which will be held by the Young Men's Republican Tariff club at the Fort Pitt Hotel on the birthday of the martyred president, January 28. Mr. Tener gave his promise to attend to Robert J. Cunningham, president of the club. It will be one of the new Governor's first public addresses after his inauguration.

#### "PANAMA" IS DISCUSSED BY ATHENE CLUB

The Athene Club at its regular meeting Friday afternoon carried out its regular announced program, taking up the study of Panama, Miss Margaretta Christy as the hostess. "Fauna, Flora, Inhabitants, Climate and Physical Features" was discussed by Mrs. F. P. McCloskey; "Railway and Ship Canal," Mrs. Harry Booth. The roll call was answered by names of great canals.

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**LOCAL AGENCIES**  
George S. Micht,.....Charleroi  
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J. D. Dooley,.....Dunlevy  
E. L. Risher,.....Lock No. 4

**Dec. 3 In American History.**  
1815—John Carroll, first Roman Cath-  
olic bishop in the United States,  
died; born 1735.

1861—The foreign envoys at Washing-  
ton protested against the seizure  
by United States officials of the  
Confederate commissioners Mason  
and Sidel on board a British ves-  
sel in noted diplomatic incident of  
the civil war.

1905—John Bartlett, compiler of "Bart-  
lett's Familiar Quotations," died;  
born 1829.

**ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.**  
(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)  
Sun sets 4:20, rises 7:04; moon sets  
5:30 p. m.; 4:00 a. m., planet Venus at  
descending node, crossing sun's path.

**Dec. 4 In American History.**  
1863—President Lincoln's amnesty mes-  
sage sent to congress.  
1891—Norrcross, a Boston stock specu-  
lator, wrecked the office of Russell  
Sage in New York and killed him-  
self by exploding dynamite in an  
attempt to assassinate Sage.

1901—Mrs. Donald G. Mitchell, wife of  
the author famous as Ik Marvel,  
died; born 1830.

**ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.**  
(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)  
Sun sets 4:20, rises 7:05; moon sets  
5:29 p. m.; 6:59 a. m., moon in conjunc-  
tion with planet Uranus.

**Something to Do**  
As a result of the first annual  
banquet of the Charleroi Business  
Men's Association several lines of  
activity for the uplift of the town  
and community have been definitely  
mapped out. These are a new county  
for this district, trolley connection  
with Bentleyville, Ellsworth and  
Cokeburg, a free bridge to Monessen,  
and as a side issue the encouragement  
and support of all the small industries  
for the town that is possible.

While some of these subjects are  
of a magnitude that will require the  
co-operation of the whole community  
and will likely involve some intricate  
legal questions before they can be  
consummated, there are others that  
the people can go to work on right  
away. One of these is the trolley  
extension. The first step is to pick  
a definite route, learn what obstacles  
are in the way of the construction of  
the line, and then seek to remove  
these obstacles. This done, there is  
assurance that ample capital is avail-  
able for the construction of the ex-  
tension. Here is a definite field of  
work for the advancement of Char-  
leroi, and it can be accomplished by  
intelligent and persistent effort. In  
the meantime it is well to set in  
motion efforts for some of the other  
things desired, but start at once on  
the trolley project and never let up  
until the object is accomplished.

As Governor Robert Tener says, the  
time for resolving to resolve is past.  
The pathway has been blazed and the  
course of action is clear. There is  
something definite to do, and it is  
now up to Charleroi to again show  
its metal.

**The State of Washington**  
With a population of 143,680,  
Washington county is justified in giv-

ing way to feelings of civic pride.  
This is more than the population of  
many of the States, and in civic or-  
ganization, development, enterprise  
and resources, is far and away ahead  
of some of the countries that in past  
years have made world's history. As  
Allegheny county has been wont,  
in bursts of civic pride, to refer to  
itself as "the State of Allegheny,"  
Washington is entitled to the same  
honorary distinction.

As a military power Washington  
county could put up a defensive fight  
that would in the words of the presi-  
dent of the late Transvaal Republic,  
"stagger humanity." The county  
has the men, the money and the re-  
sources for such an emergency. With  
the population of white people just  
about double the population of Wash-  
ington county, the Transvaal Repub-  
lic fought the whole British Empire,  
and taxed the united resources of  
that great power for a considerable  
period, until overwhelmed by num-  
bers. In an emergency it is possible  
that Washington county could arm,  
equip and maintain for a short period  
an army of 50,000 men in a defensive  
warfare, more than were engaged at  
any one time on both sides in the  
Revolutionary War.

But it is peace, not in war, that  
Washington county is great. In ad-  
dition to its great industries and vast  
horde of workers, its agricultural  
resources are also great. It is stated  
that in round numbers there are 8,000  
farmers in the county. This, with  
the coal mining, gas and oil produc-  
tion, iron and steel manufacturing,  
virtually places the county as one of  
the most important productive centers  
in the world. With its present re-  
sources and standing, and isolated  
among the nations of the world,  
Washington county would be one of  
the biggest "little" kingdoms or Re-  
publics on earth.

**Dogs Vs. Schedule K.**  
One of the greatest kicks over the  
recent tariff is on "Schedule K,"  
which covers the duty on wool. This  
is claimed to enhance the price of  
clothing of such an extent as to make  
household expenses burdensome to the  
family, and to curtail wearing wool  
garments to the detriment of the phys-  
ical well being of the people general-  
ly.

If the truth of the matter were  
known, the high cost of wool is due as  
much if not more to dogs than to the  
notorious "Schedule K." In the  
eastern States in particular is the  
decline in the production of wool  
noticeable. Washington county used  
to be in the front rank among all the  
counties in the United States. Now  
the production has fallen away off,  
because of the ravages of dogs, the  
farmers say. From January 1 to  
November 21 of this year Washington  
county has paid dog damage claims  
amounting to \$5,097.23. It still has  
unpaid claims amounting to \$5,000.

Can anything be more discouraging to  
the sheep-raising industry than this  
record for one county?

By eliminating "Schedule K" en-  
tirely and permitting free trade in  
dogs, wool prices will continue to  
advance. All the tax that a man  
pays anyhow on a twenty-five dollar  
suit of clothes, is probably less than  
seventy-five cents, and as the average  
man doesn't buy more than one or  
two such suits a year his tax to main-  
tain the general government is not  
excessive. The revenue is needed for  
the expenses of the government, and  
if the tax of "Schedule K" is re-  
moved it will have to be placed on  
"Schedule X, Y or Z," or somewhere  
else along the line. It is free trade  
in dogs that is responsible for the  
high price of wool, not "Schedule K."

**ELECTRIC SPARKS**  
Every man is more or less vain and  
likes to glance in the mirror. But he  
is very particular about being caught  
in such an act.

Ever since Sam Todd mentioned that  
goose farm idea the other night at  
the banquet, feathers have been  
flying. So says John H. Bowers, and  
being the president of the Business  
Men's Association he is entitled to  
know.

A husband who objected to his  
wife opening his mail took to spank-

ing her. Possibly because he had no  
children to practice on.

They are complaining in Philadel-  
phia that hat pins are too long. Even  
the staid old Quaker city has made a  
discovery of a fact already well  
known in Charleroi.

The new crinoline cloak for aviators  
might also come handy on elevators  
and other things which make a  
specialty of doing flying stunts.

In a dear little village there lived  
a small boy with proclivities.

Owing to the nature of his procliv-  
ities they called him Middlesome  
Mortimer. Leaving things alone was  
the best thing he didn't do.

In a certain period of his career he  
wandered down to old man Lignite's  
coal elevator and pulled the rope that  
controlled the nut coal bin, neglecting  
to stand 60 feet from the rope when  
pulling it.

This was also the most successful  
period of Middlesome Mortimer's  
career, in the sense that a period  
means a full stop.

Dr. Cook says he came over to  
America and stayed a month and  
nobody knew him. That's not very  
strange.

## SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

**Methodist**  
At the Methodist Episcopal Church  
on Sunday morning the pastor will  
preach on "Family Religion." At  
the evening service he will deliver  
the first of a series of sermons on  
"The Evils of Modern Society,"  
which will be of great importance  
and interest. The subject for Sun-  
day night's sermon is "Bad Litera-  
ture" and will be the monthly sermon  
to young people. Everybody wel-  
come. Services at 10:45 a. m. and  
7:30 p. m.

**First Presbyterian**  
Sunday school at 9:45. This will  
be Missionary Day. Morning service  
at 11. Theme "Our Bowdoin Bearer,  
Is He Yours?" Evening service at  
7:30. Sermon, "A Friend at Court."  
Jr. C. E. at 2:15. Leader, Lulu  
Roney. Sr. C. E. at 6:45. Leader,  
Mrs. Frank Ranson. Topic, "The  
Worth While Life." Regular Wednes-  
day evening prayer meeting at 7:45.  
Blue Envelope for Board of Educa-  
tion, Dec. 4. All are welcome to  
these services. Rev. J. T. Hackett,  
pastor.

**Christian**  
Bible school at 9:45. Communion  
and preaching at 11. Topic, "Duties  
of Elders." This is the first of a  
series of duties of officers and mem-  
bers. Mission band at 2. Evening  
worship at 7:30. Topic, "The Ap-  
peal of Satan and The Appeal of  
Christ." C. E. at 6:45. Prayer  
meeting and Teacher Training Wed-  
nesday evening at 7:30. Rev. V. G.  
Hostetter, minister.

**Episcopal**  
Corner Sixth and Lookout. Sun-  
day school and Bible classes at 9:45.  
Anti-communion service, sermon and  
celebration of the holy communion at  
11. Subject, "Man Doth Not Live  
by Bread Alone." Evening prayer  
and confirmation address at 7:30. All  
are cordially welcome. Rev. L. W.  
Shey, rector.

**Baptist**  
Sunday school at 9:45. Morning  
worship at 11. Theme, "Submission  
and Responsibility." Evening ser-  
vice at 7:30. Theme, "Chaos, an  
Emblem of the Unrenewed Soul."  
A cordial invitation is extended to  
all. Rev. C. Joshua, pastor.

**Christ Lutheran**  
Sixth street and Washington ave-  
nue. Teacher Training class at 9.  
Sunday school at 9:45. Divine wor-  
ship at 11 and 7:30, with sermons by  
the pastor. Luther League at 6:30.  
Leader, Miss Ada Wolf. At the  
close of the evening service, the  
Ladies Aid Society will meet to com-  
plete arrangements for the Sample  
Sale to be held by them, December  
15, 16 and 17. A most cordial wel-  
come to the public to come and wor-  
ship with us. Rev. Chalmers E.  
Frontz, minister.

**Brigade at Rink**  
The Charleroi Boys' Brigade has  
arranged for the use of the Charleroi  
rink for every Monday evening, be-  
ginning at 7 o'clock. It will be used  
for basketball or whatever the bri-  
gade may desire.

**Will Hold Bazaar**  
The First Baptist church is arrang-  
ing to hold a bazaar in the Clement  
building on McKean avenue and  
Fourth street next Friday and Satur-  
day, November 9 and 10.

## GET NEW MEMBERS THROUGH CONTEST

Final Literary Meeting of  
Protected Home Circle  
Held Last Night

Last evening marked the closing of  
the P. H. C. contest which started  
September 16. This has been the  
greatest contest in the history of the  
Charleroi lodge as 112 new members  
have been added with 30 or more  
awaiting initiation. This puts Char-  
leroi in the lead in the district with  
great hopes of winning the State  
banner. Last evening the Orange  
and Black had the sway and one of  
the best programs of the season was  
rendered. The "Dish Rag," edited  
by Frank B. Taylor with its comic  
supplement in which he drew the  
members of the lodge in a ridiculous  
fashion, was the big hit of the even-  
ing. State Deputy Stark conferred  
the obligation to 34 new members.  
This is the largest class ever initiated  
in Charleroi in the P. H. C.

At the close of the literary pro-  
gram the final standing of the two  
sides, Orange and Black and Green  
and Yellow was made known. The  
Yellow and Green, headed by Emil  
Velletay won by 120 points and now  
the Orange and Black will serve sup-  
per. The trip to Pittsburgh will be  
made December 14 on two special  
street cars.

**MINERS DENOUNCE  
NEWSPAPER ATTACKS  
ON PRES. FEEHAN**

To the Officers and Members of the  
U. M. W. of A., District No. 5:  
At a meeting of Local Union No.  
235, Black Diamond Mine, held Nov-  
ember 29, 1910, the following resolu-  
tion was adopted:

We, the members of said local  
union condemn those so called friends  
of labor such as the Labor World,  
and the Pittsburgh Leader, for their  
vicious attacks on our district officers.  
We are convinced that this is a  
gigantic conspiracy to defeat the  
miners of the Irwin field who are  
struggling against the tyranny of the  
coal barons of that field.

We also desire to inform the public  
that the character of those who are  
manufacturing affidavits is well  
known to our miners, and they will  
be dealt with in the very near future  
as all traitors should be.

Signed in behalf of Local Union  
John Day, Financial Secretary,  
William Feehey, Recording Secretary.  
The following are the Mine Com-  
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James Oates, chairman.  
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A card schedule of the Pittsburg,  
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line dated Sunday, May 19, 1878, is in  
possession of M. T. Crowley, the Mc-  
Kean avenue undertaker. The sched-  
ule shows that at that time eight  
trains a day were run to Mononga-  
hela where connections were made by  
packets with Brownsville. The sched-  
ule describes the route as the  
"quickest and most direct to and from  
Pittsburg, McKeesport, Elizabeth,  
Brownsville and all intermediate  
points on the Monongahela River."

It was just at this time that the P.  
V. and C. was extending its system  
from Monongahela to West Belle Ver-  
non. There were four accommoda-  
tion trains, two mail trains and two  
express trains run on the line at that  
time, and a noticeable feature prom-  
inently announced on the schedule is a  
church train which left Monongahela  
every Sunday at 8 o'clock, stopping  
at all points for passengers and reach-  
ing Pittsburg at 10:08. The return  
church train left Pittsburg at 12:40.  
Rates at that time were always as  
low as by boat on the Pittsburg trip.

All trains ran direct to and from what  
was then the new station at the  
corner of Fourth Avenue and Fry  
street, Pittsburg. John F. Scott was  
the assistant superintendent, and  
William J. Roemer, general freight  
and passenger agent, and John  
Myers, chief engineer and superinten-  
dent.

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On the Crescent Bowling alleys  
Thursday evening, the Crescent team  
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to those whose wants  
are worth supplying.

**Idleness.**  
It is an undoubted truth that the less  
one has to do the less one finds time  
to do it in. One yawns, one procrast-  
inates, one can do it when one will,  
and therefore one seldom does it at all,  
whereas those who have a great deal  
of business must buckle to it, and then  
they always find time enough to do it in.

**The Hardest Thing.**  
"What's the hardest thing about  
roller skating when you're learning?"  
asked a hesitating young man of the  
instructor at a rink.  
"The floor," answered the attendant.

**Getting Rich Quick.**  
A souse wandered into a downtown  
barber shop and after being shaved  
sat down in the bootblack's chair.  
"How do you get paid?" Wages?" he  
asked.  
"No, suh," answered the bootblack;  
"I work on a percentage. Sixty per-  
cent's mine."  
"Shickshty p'cent yours?" said the  
souse deliberately. "Shickshty p'cent."  
"Yes, suh."  
"You taken in hundred dollars  
you keep shickshty?"  
"Yes, suh."  
"You take in thousand you keep  
shickshty hundred?"  
"Yes, suh."  
"An' hundred thousand you keep  
shickshty thousand?"  
"Yes, suh."  
"My, my," said the souse in puzzled  
manner, "what're you goin' to do with  
so much money?"—New York Journal.

**Warning the Colonel.**  
A raw recruit from a remote corner  
of the Green Isle was engaged for the  
first time in a field maneuver in Eng-  
land on outpost duty. The sergeant in-  
structed him to look out carefully for  
the colonel coming to inspect the post.  
After an hour he returned and asked  
the soldier, "Has the colonel been here?"  
Receiving an answer in the negative,  
he went away, returning later on with  
the same inquiry.  
A while later the colonel appeared.  
The recruit did not salute properly,  
which incensed the colonel, who as a  
hint asked him:  
"Do you know who I am?"  
"Faith and I do not," answered the  
recruit.  
"I am the colonel."  
"Borra, you will catch it then," said  
the soldier. "The sergeant has been  
asking twice for rez already!"

**Far From Upright.**  
Kelly and Coran were "having it  
out." They had been deadly enemies  
for years, but neither had offered to  
lay hands on the other up to now, both  
of them being somewhat afraid of the  
issue.  
Before they commenced it was stipu-  
lated that it was to be a fair "stand  
up" fight, and with that they started.  
Coran laid it all his own way from the  
beginning. He kept knocking Kelly  
down and down again until that  
wretched was about sick of it. He turned  
to the bystanders and said, "Sure,  
an' wasn't it to be a fair, stand up  
fight?"  
"It was," returned an onlooker.  
"An' now, thin, can he be expectin'  
me ter fight 'im fairly if he do be  
knockin' me down all the time?"—Lon-  
don Ideals.

**A Polished Diplomat.**  
"Did you see anything that particu-  
larly struck your fancy when you  
were looking round the furniture  
shops today?" asked a young husband  
of his lately made wife on her return  
from a tour of furniture inspection.  
"Yes," she replied; "I saw some-  
thing exceedingly pretty in looking  
glasses."  
"I have no doubt you did," he ob-  
served, "if you looked into them."  
The halo of a calm, sweet peace  
rests upon that home.

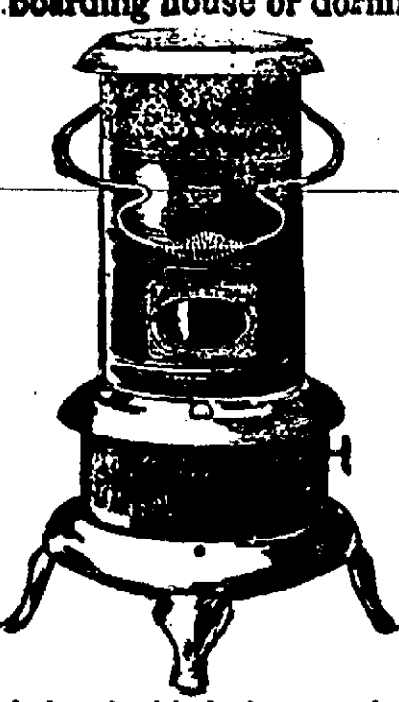
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AMONG THE THEATRES

The Palace—Charleroi.  
Unfounded suspicion will often lead to a hasty conclusion to be repented of at leisure, as shown by a graphic photoplay at the Palace Theatre this week. The story was that of a woman who cannot be consoled over the death of her little child. Both her husband and her doctor try to assuage her grief, but without avail. Finally the woman surreptitiously steals away every day to an orphan asylum, where she devotes her time to caring for the little ones there. Her husband notices her absence, and jumps to the conclusion that his wife is deceiving him. He employs a detective, and they trace the woman to the orphanage. Both rush in expecting to find some startling sensations, but they find instead the woman giving her loving care to the orphans about her. Explanations follow, and the scene ends happily. Many other strong features were shown during the week. A feature to be adopted shortly, will be tuxedo dress suits for the orchestra and other attaches.

The Nixon—Pittsburg  
"The Dollar Princess" which Charles Frohman will present at the Nixon next week, comes to Pittsburg from Vienna via London, New York and Chicago. The musical comedy is said to possess the good taste and delicate grace of the Viennese operetta, together with the dash and cleverness of the home made musical comedy. There are 22 musical numbers, all good, some better and some exceptional. The story concerns an American girl who is the daughter of the president of a coal trust and known as "The Dollar Princess." She falls in love with a young Englishman and in spite of her dollars she is unable to secure him until just before the curtain falls on the last act when of course, he succumbs to potpourri of all the waltz lotifs of the evening. The millionaire has an affair with an alleged countess who turns out to be a lion tamer, and his niece Daisy marries a young marquis and then refuses to be anything but his friend. The company is headed by Donald Brian, who won fame and fortune as the original Prince Danilo in "The Merry Widow." Others in the cast are Daisy LeHay, Hilda Vining, Carroll McComes, F. Pope Stamper, Cyril Biddulph, Will West, E. J. Connelly, George Reed and a chorus, of exceptionally good voices.

The Grand—Pittsburg  
"The New Leader" which Sam Mann and company will present as the premier feature of a bill of prime vaudeville at the Grand next week, has scored, a substantial and artistic success in New York, Philadelphia and Boston. It depicts characteristic incidents of a Monday morning rehearsal in a vaudeville show. The cast numbers eight people who represent a German orchestra leader, a stage manager a monologist, a property man, a trap drummer a sister act and a headliner. This octet gets very much entangled in the dialogue that ensues while "the new leader" is endeavoring to get the music in shape for the aft-noon performance. Incidentally a love talk is interwoven. Witches Bessie Wynn, formerly of "The Wizard of Oz" and "Babes in Toyland" will present a cycle of seven songs. Her costumes are frequently changed, but the personality of Bessie Wynn, whether in tights or frocks, is of the same seductive quality. Clifford Walker a newcomer to us, will present a musical monologue entitled "After Dinner." "Just From College" is the title of an act to be given by Conian Steel and Carr. It is a musical comedy in miniature, the two young men and the clever girl comprising the trio introducing song and dance specialties and witty dialogue. Capan Maximilian Gruber and Mile. Adalina will introduce their equestrian review. It features the act of "Minnie" a three ton elephant—an elephant whose intelligence is exemplified in many different ways. There are gayly caparisoned horses and ponies which perform entertainingly, responsive to every command of their trainers. "Hoopland" is the style of the Three Cretons entertainment. Goldsmith and Hoppe will present a refined brother act and there will be other specialties in addition to moving pictures.

The Alvin—Pittsburg  
When Fritz Sheff appears in the role of Yum-Yum in the Messrs. Schubert's revival of the famous Gilbert and Sullivan opera "The Mikado" at the Alvin Theatre next week, it will mark the first appearance of a grand opera star in that particular role. It was a somewhat

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daring idea of Mr. Lee Shubert's to cast Mme. Scheff as Yum-Yum when he presented "The Mikado" with an all star cast at the New York Casino last spring. But the New York reviewers were unanimous in saying that the famous diva was never more artistic than as the beautiful kimonied ward of K-Ko, the Lord High Executioner of Japan. Mme. Scheff, who graduated from the grand opera state to become the leading light opera singer of America comes by her remarkable talent naturally for her mother, Mme. Scheff Jaeger, was one of the best known prima donnas in German grand opera. When she was three years old little Fritz was regarded as a prodigy. She sang so well. Her wise mother, knowing that a prima donna was worth a dozen child wonders would not allow her to sing in public then, but at an early age started to train her voice. She made her professional debut as a prima donna when she was 17 years old, appearing as Juliet in Gounod's "Romeo and Juliet" and scored an instantaneous triumph. She received the musical training in Germany, where she learned many roles and also received an excellent schooling. While she was undergoing this course Maurice Grau heard her and immediately determined that she was just the singer he wanted for the Metropolitan Grand Opera company of which he was then the presiding genius.

New Duquesne—Pittsburg.  
George Ade's most famous comedy, "The College Widow," with its big football game scene and its exuberantly funny college town characters and types is to be the notably mirth, provoking attraction at the Duquesne Theatre next week. This will be the first time that this George Ade masterpiece of humor and stage characterization has ever been offered in his city in stock or at the extremely low prices which now prevail at this popular playhouse. As for the college types, who that has seen them can ever forget Bub Hicks, the transformed Freshman; "Silent" Murphy; Flora Wiggins, the "prominent waitress" and all the other eccentric and delightful personages of this over-bubblingly funny play. A big crowd of auxiliaries has been specially engaged for the football scene and there is every reason to anticipate one of the liveliest and most exhilarating of events on the Duquesne stage next week. Mary Hall, will of course, enact the role of the fickle college widow, while Albert Morrison will be that valiant football hero, Billie Bolton, who enrolls in the wrong college and wins the game for it. All matinees at the Duquesne, except Saturday, are now only 25 cents for the entire house—no higher. This means 1,000 reserved seats. For the evening prices, the entire lower floor is reserved for 50 cents and no higher, except for four rows the entire balcony is only 25 cents for the evening performance.

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### ROYAL ARCANUMS

#### TO GIVE MINSTREL

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### FEATURE SHOW

#### COMING TO STAR

Beginning Monday, December 5 the great musical comedy, "My Uncle From New York," will be presented at the Star Theatre for three nights. The comedy is said to be one of the best in its class, with lots of good singing, dancing and new and up-to-date song hits. The company contains such clever comedians as C. Matthews, Pat LeRoy and Walter Wright, and the bright and sparkling comedienne, Misses Ethel Wright and Kathryn Irving. Miss Vesta Wallace, the sensational toe dancer with up-to-date songs, is also a leading feature of the company.

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### LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Buav Readers.

Mrs. S. R. Collins and son and Miss Ella Greenwood are Pittsburg visitors today.

Mrs. W. R. McKean and son went to Pittsburg today for a visit.

This morning some excitement was caused when a boy coasting on Fifth street ran into a horse at the corner of Washington avenue and Fifth street. Neither the horse or the boy were hurt to any extent.

W. C. Reeves is a Pittsburg business visitor today.

C. H. Lombard, a representative of the Unitype company of New York city after doing repair work on the Mail's Simplex typesetting machine, has left for Baltimore, Md.

Victor Bezeinski and Miss Ludwika Gezendycka were married by Justice of the Peace E. E. Rice last evening.

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Work will be started in a few days by the Pressed Steel Car company on the construction of 50 steel motor cars ordered by the Pittsburg Railways company, which, when equipped with all apparatus, will cost about \$350,000. The new cars will be practically the same as the steel cars of Series 4000 now in operation, with the exception that a number of improvements on that type of a minor sort have been made. Plans for these detailed improvements have been completed so that no further delay will be permitted in beginning the erection of the cars. Work will be hurried through this winter.

The cars will be 46 feet 8 inches long and each will have a seating capacity of 56 passengers. One improvement over the Series 4000 cars will be the use of steel posts to give added strength. The rear platform will be made a little longer and the two rear doors will be widened to permit of the easier entrance and exit of passengers. Rattan will be used on the seats and the longitudinal seats will have a dip similar to that of the seats in the new steel trailer. This type of seats will prove more comfortable for the passengers. The smaller seats behind the motorman will be extended across the car to prevent passengers from interfering with the motorman's work.

### WOMAN ELECTED PRESIDENT OF A COAL COMPANY

At the organization of the Phyllis Mining company at Uniontown this week a woman had the somewhat unique distinction of being elected to the presidency of the company. Valley capital is interested, and Mrs. Katharine McGough of Monongahela is the newly-elected official head. The purpose is to mine coal near Cheat Haven.

### Make Pathway

The borough street department has made a path of ashes down Fifth street for pedestrians. Since the time of the recent snow the street has been slippery and hardly passable.

### Classified Ads

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply, H. Porter, 534 Fallowfield avenue. 99tf

FOR RENT—Farm suitable for a dairy, well watered, centrally situated between Charleroi and Monongahela, two miles from Donora and adjoining Eldora. Inquire of Mrs. Eliza Grant, 461 Main street, Monongahela. 98tf

FOR SALE—Driving horse, cheap. Cow and hog. J. E. Van Voorhis. 181tp

WANTED—Roomers, with or without board. Inquire 123 Mail office. 98tf

WANTED—Girl to learn telephone operating. Steady position for right party. Apply Charleroi Telephone company 409 McKean avenue. 98tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room with or without board. A quiet surrounding, not far from postoffice. Inquire at 121 Mail office. 94tf

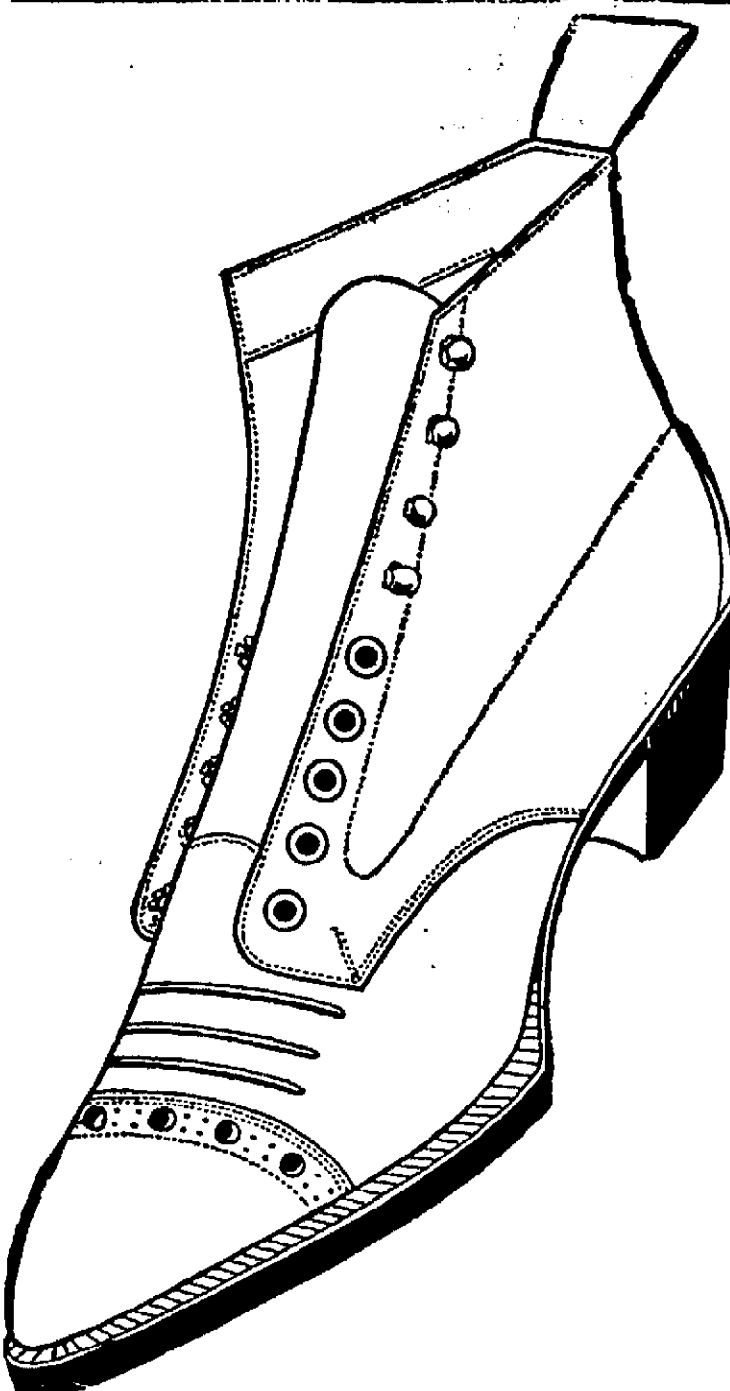
FOR RENT—One furnished room Apply 132 Mail office. 90tfp

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and this big unloading sale will be over.

Some of our specials for Saturday and Monday:



\$1.50 youth's dull lace shoes, special	79c
1.50 ladies' black fur slippers, special	79c
1.50 men's arctics, special	98c
65c ladies' rubbers, special	39c
50c ladies' overgaiters	12c
50c children's jersey leggings	19c
\$3.50 men's sample shoes	2.39
Men's heavy working shoes	1.48
90c men's rubbers	59c
4.00 men's gum boots	2.90
Ladies' 3.50 samples	1.95
16 doz. prs. ladies' shoes	69c
Babies' soft sole shoes	1c
Babies' stiff sole, 1 to 3	12c
Boys' heavy shoes	98c
Misses' jockey boots	1.69
Child's high cut, red or velvet top	1.29
Children's slippers	69c
Ladies' house slippers	39c
Men's Leggings	39c

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## Facts of the Census Big Class is Installed Congress Claims Tener

### SOUTHWESTERN PENNSYLVANIA ONE OF MOST PROGRESSIVE DISTRICTS IN UNITED STATES

#### CHARLEROI SHOWS LARGE PERCENTAGE OF GAIN BY FIGURES JUST ANNOUNCED

Population of Eight Southwestern Counties of State Larger Than That of Several Western States Combined

#### WASHINGTON COUNTY NEARLY AS LARGE AS IDAHO

That Charleroi is in one of the most progressive districts of the United States, is shown by census figures prepared by Census Supervisor Charles O. Frye. Charleroi shows a larger percentage of gain in population than any county in Pennsylvania, and Washington county makes the largest county gain in the State.

The gains of a number of counties in Western Pennsylvania are tabulated as follows, showing little Greene county down at the bottom with a gain of only 2 per cent.

Charleroi and Washington county are in the lead, with the percentage of gains of the districts announced by the Director of the Census for this end of the State.

	1910	1900	1890	Gain over 1900	Pc. Gain
Charleroi	9,615	5,930		3,685	62.1
Washington Co.	143,680	92,181	71,155	51,499	55.9
Fayette Co.	167,449	110,412	80,006	57,037	51.6
Westmoreland Co.	221,304	160,175	112,819	71,129	44.4
Beaver Co.	78,353	56,432	50,077	21,921	38.8
Allegheny Co.	1,018,463	775,058	551,959	243,405	31.4
Lawrence Co.	70,032	53,827	48,131	16,205	30.1
Butler Co.	72,689	56,963	55,339	15,726	27.6
Greene Co.	28,822	28,281	26,936	601	02.1
Total for S. S. Western Counties	1,810,792	1,333,329	998,421	477,523	35.8
Whole State	7,665,111	6,302,115	5,258,014	1,362,996	21.6

Colorado	539,700
Delaware	184,735
Florida	528,542
Idaho	161,772
Montana	243,329
Nevada	42,335
New Hampshire	411,558
New Mexico	195,310
North Dakota	319,146
South Dakota	401,570
Oklahoma	398,331
Oregon	413,536
Rhode Island	428,556
Utah	276,749
Vermont	343,641
Washington	518,103
Wyoming	92,531
Maine	694,466
Alaska	63,592

The above eighteen States and one territory had a population of 6,257,582 in 1900. Pennsylvania's population in 1900 was 6,302,115. Pennsylvania is represented by two United States Senators, and the above States with a less population have 36.

By comparing our 1910 figures with the 1900 population of the States, the combined population of the eight Southwestern Pennsylvania counties of Allegheny, Beaver, Butler, Fayette, Greene, Lawrence, Washington and Westmoreland is greater than the combined population of the following

eight States and two territories, too wit: Arizona, Colorado, Delaware, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Wyoming, Hawaii and Alaska.

Mr. Frye's census district, consisting of Washington, Beaver, Lawrence and Butler counties, has a population of 364,754, which compared with the population of the States ten years ago is larger than the combined population of Nevada, Wyoming, Idaho and the territory of Alaska and larger than the population of any one of fourteen smaller States.

The population of Charleroi is larger than that of Ohio, Scott or Union counties in the State of Indiana and over half as large as that of Blackford, Benton, Brown, Crawford, Fayette, Franklin, Fulton, Jasper, Jennings, Lagrange, Martin, Newton, Orange, Owen, Pulaski, Starke, Steuben, Switzerland, Vermillion or Warren counties in the same State.

The 1910 population of Washington county is larger than the 1900 population of the States of Wyoming and Nevada. It is almost as large as the States of Idaho and New Mexico and over half as large as the State of Utah.

### ELKS WILL REMEMBER THE DEAD

At the Palace Theatre, beginning at 8 o'clock Sunday afternoon, Charleroi Lodge No. 494, B. P. O. Elks, will hold their annual Lodge of Sorrow to consecrate the memory of those who during the past year have been called by the Grim Reaper. Rev. Father John L. S. Martin of Waynes-

burg will make the address, and the eulogy will be pronounced by Tom P. Sloan.

Special music will be furnished for the occasion by the Charleroi Elks' chorus, the Palace Orchestra, and Miss Lillian Hammit of Uniontown. James N. Moore and Clarence H. Chandler were the members who died during the past year.

Rev. Martin, who is a past exalted ruler of the Waynesburg lodge is said to be a particularly fine speaker. He has a number of acquaintances here, among whom are Hon. J. K. Tener, Governor elect.

#### Coal Delivered

On order to any place in town. Address Wm. Lambert, 300 Fallowfield avenue Charleroi. 9616p

### NOVEMBER SHIPMENTS OF COAL BETTER THAN DURING TENTH MONTH

October Record at Lock No. 4 Is Surpassed By 131,000 Bushels By the Eleventh Month Total

There were 14,669,000 bushels of coal shipped through Lock No. 4 during the month of November, according to the report of Lockmaster A. F. McGowan. The shipment is better than that of October by 131,000 bushels.

During the month there were 588 lockages down stream, 319 steamers and 1,477 boats, barges and flats passed down.

Up stream there were 559 lockages. There were 317 steamers and 1,418 boats, barges and flats passed up. The rainfall during the month was 1.74 inches.

The October shipment of coal was 14,538,000 bushels. Last year the November shipment of coal was 15,862,000 bushels and the previous year 11,863,000 bushels. In 1907 the November shipment totaled 19,405,000 bushels.

### CHARLEROI COUNCIL HAS BIG CLASS FOR INITIATION

Local Royal Arcanums Distinguish Themselves By Taking Large Class to Pittsburg

#### CAPTAINS OF OPPOSING SIDES REWARDED

One hundred persons representing the Charleroi Council No. 1240, Royal Arcanum, with a class of 71 members for initiation, last night went to Pittsburg, where at the Monongahela House a class of 150 from various parts of Western Pennsylvania was initiated. The supreme officers were present at the meeting and a picked class from Pittsburg did the initiatory work.

There was a large assemblage of lodges from various parts of Western Pennsylvania, and classes from a number of places. The Charleroi class was the largest however of any to be initiated, a membership contest conducted by sides captained by Robert Vetter and Joseph Allsopp having been conducted recently with good results. The Charleroi council has a membership of 270.

Several of the officers of the local council were at the Pittsburg meeting last night among them being, Fred Pieper, regent; John Fries, treasurer; Joseph Schoener, secretary; Otto Dorbitz, chaplain, and Fred Powell, auditor.

Robert Vetter's side was the winner of the recent contest, and both he and Mr. Allsopp were presented with gold rings by the supreme officers and with silver spoon sets by the State council.

### COUNTY MAY START FIGHT AGAINST WHITE PLAGUE AT THE COUNTY HOME

Movement on Foot for the Installing of New Hospital at Which Tuberculosis Will Be Treated

#### STATE WILL LIKELY BE ASKED TO AID PROJECT

If the plans of county officials who have investigated and discussed the matter are carried to completion a tuberculosis hospital will be located in the county at the children's home. At a meeting held Wednesday at the county home it was found that the consensus of opinion favored the project which has been quietly agitated for some time past.

At the conference there were present Poor Directors Emery, Courson and Buchanan County Commissioners Berry, Hill and Smith, Dr. G. B. Woods physician at the county home; Dr. S. N. Dague, physician at the children's home Dr. W. J. Burns, of Wofftown, and W. W. Hunter. Controller Moffit was unable to be present but stated at his office that he was heartily in favor of the plan.

The scheme was fully discussed and all were of opinion that the need of a tuberculosis hospital where inmates of the two institutions suffering from the white plague could be properly cared for was imperative. Just what steps must be taken in order to secure such an institution as is desired are not yet known, but it was decided yesterday that the necessary information would be secured without delay and an effort made to have the State aid in the plan.

In 1909 a two-roomed house was fitted up at the county home for the accommodation of a limited number of persons who were suffering from tubercular trouble. At the present time five persons are housed in this place, but more room is needed. As a site for the proposed institution a part of the children's home grounds on the hillside has been suggested. This place is high and dry and convenient to both the trolley line and railroad. It is expected that further action along the line proposed will be taken within a short time.

#### Birthday Surprise

Zenobe Boudoux, was tendered a surprise last night by a number of his school mates in honor of his sixteenth birthday at the home of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Boudoux on Washington avenue. The evening was pleasantly spent with various diversions by the young folks and refreshments were served.

### EXPECTS TO RESUME SEAT IN CONGRESS NEXT WEEK

#### OUTLINE PLANS FOR FIGHT ON TUBERCULOSIS

Charleroi and Monongahela Physicians on Special Committee

Preliminary arrangements are being made by Dr. J. W. Hunter of Charleroi and Dr. J. B. Wood, of Monongahela, constituting a special committee from the Washington County Medical Association for the carrying on of a campaign against tuberculosis in the county by the county association.

Drs. Hunter and Wood were appointed at the last meeting of the association to have charge of the preliminary part of the work, and it is planned to have tuberculosis displays in the schools as a means of educating the children in the methods of prevention of the disease. It is intended to have a speaker at each school in the county with the exception of Monongahela, where a tuberculosis display was held a few days ago.

### WORKING FOR AID OF GIRLS

Salvation Army Captain Solicits Contributions

#### TO SUPPORT RESCUE HOME

To solicit funds for the support of the Rescue Mission Home at Bellevue for fallen girls and babies, Capt. Harriet Speelman of the Salvation Army was in Charleroi and vicinity this week. She secured considerable aid, it is stated, from various sources.

The Rescue Home work is receiving a great impetus. The institution is conducted by the Salvation Army through popular subscriptions. The Salvation Army workers go into the slums and tenderloin of cities convincing fallen girls there of the error of their ways, and if possible take them to their home. Then if there is anything to be had in the way of employment in good neighborhoods and among the proper surroundings, homes are procured for the girls. Babies are cared for at the home the same as they would be in children's hospitals or nurseries.

While in Charleroi Capt. Speelman met with various churches and talked in a number of meetings.

#### Dance

All the latest dances will be programmed at the Friday night club dances, in Bank of Charleroi Hall, Friday evening of each week. Music by Jenkins orchestra. 9613

#### Governor-Elect Tener At Home Only for Brief Time

### IS VERY BUSY MAN NOW

Returned from East in Time To Attend Business Men's Banquet

Without having had much more than time to greet his friends at home, Governor-elect John K. Tener will leave Charleroi Sunday evening on his way to Washington, D. C., to assume his duties as Representative of the Twenty-fourth district in Congress. Mr. Tener will, according to present arrangements get in Washington Wednesday morning, to be present for the first real business sessions of Congress.

Governor-elect Tener came home from a ten days' trip to the east last Thursday evening to be present at the first annual banquet of the Charleroi Business Men's Association, of which he is a member. He was one of the speakers of the affair. Friday he spent at home and today, Saturday, he took a business trip to Pittsburg.

In all probability Mr. Tener will return home for the Christmas holidays, but expects to return to Congress and remain there until his inauguration as Pennsylvania's chief executive on January 17.

### GOVERNOR-ELECT

#### WILL SPEAK AT PITTSBURG AFFAIR

Governor elect John K. Tener will speak at the McKinley day dinner which will be held by the Young Men's Republican Tariff club at the Fort Pitt Hotel on the birthday of the martyred president, January 28. Mr. Tener gave his promise to attend to Robert J. Cunningham, president of the club. It will be one of the new Governor's first public addresses after his inauguration.

### "PANAMA" IS DISCUSSED BY ATHENE CLUB

The Athene Club at its regular meeting Friday afternoon carried out its regular announced program, taking up the study of Panama, Miss Margaretta Christy as the hostess. "Fauna, Flora, Inhabitants, Climate and Physical Features" was discussed by Mrs. F. P. McCloskey; "Railway and Ship Canal," Mrs. Harry Booth. The roll call was answered by names of great canals.

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Dec. 3 In American History. 1813—John Carroll, first Roman Catholic bishop in the United States, died; born 1735.

1861—The former envoys at Washington protested against the seizure by United States officials of the Confederate commissioners Ansoun and Sidel on board a British vessel in a noted diplomatic incident of the civil war.

1905—John Bartlett, compiler of "Bartlett's Familiar Quotations," died; born 1829.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS: (From noon today to noon tomorrow) Sun sets 4:20, rises 7:04; moon sets 5:36 p. m.; 4:00 a. m., planet Venus at descending node, crossing sun's path.

Dec. 4 In American History. 1863—President Lincoln's amnesty message sent to Congress.

1891—Norcross, a Boston stock speculator, wrecked the office of Russell Sage in New York and killed himself by exploding dynamite in an attempt to assassinate Sage.

1901—Mrs. Donald G. Mitchell, wife of the author famous as "The Marvel," died; born 1830.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS: (From noon today to noon tomorrow) Sun sets 4:20, rises 7:05; moon sets 5:29 p. m.; 6:59 a. m., moon in conjunction with planet Uranus.

Something to Do

As a result of the first annual banquet of the CharleROI Business Men's Association several lines of activity for the uplift of the town and community have been definitely mapped out. These are a new county for this district, trolley connection with Bentleyville, Ellsworth and Cokeburg, a free bridge to Monessen, and as a side issue the encouragement and support of all the small industries for the town that is possible.

While some of these subjects are of a magnitude that will require the co-operation of the whole community and will likely involve some intricate legal questions before they can be consummated, there are others that the people can go to work on right away. One of these is the trolley extension. The first step is to pick a definite route, learn what obstacles are in the way of the construction of the line, and then seek to remove these obstacles. This done, there is assurance that ample capital is available for the construction of the extension. Here is a definite field of work for the advancement of CharleROI, and it can be accomplished by intelligent and persistent effort. In the meantime it is well to set in motion efforts for some of the other things desired, but start at once on the trolley project and never let it up until the job is a completed.

As Governor John T. Tanner says, the time for resolving to resolve is past. The pathway has been blazed and the course of action is clear. There is something definite to do, and it is now up to CharleROI to again show its metal.

The State of Washington

With a population of 143,680, Washington county is justified in giving way to feelings of civic pride.

This is more than the population of many of the States, and in civic organization, development, enterprise and resources, is far and away ahead of some of the countries that in past years have made world's history.

As Allegheny county has been wont, in bursts of civic pride, to refer to itself as "the State of Allegheny," Washington is entitled to the same honorary distinction.

As a military power Washington county could put up a defensive fight that would in the words of the president of the late Transvaal Republic, "stagger humanity."

The county has the men, the money and the resources for such an emergency. With the population of white people just about double the population of Washington county, the Transvaal Republic fought the whole British Empire, and taxed the united resources of that great power for a considerable period, until overwhelmed by numbers.

In an emergency it is possible that Washington county could arm, equip and maintain for a short period an army of 50,000 men in a defensive warfare, more than were engaged at any one time on both sides in the Revolutionary War.

But it is peace, not in war, that Washington county is great. In addition to its great industries and vast horde of workers, its agricultural resources are also great. It is stated that in round numbers there are 8,000 farmers in the county. This, with the coal mining, gas and oil production, iron and steel manufacturing, virtually places the county as one of the most important productive centers in the world. With its present resources and standing and isolated among the nations of the world, Washington county would be one of the uggest "little" kingdoms of Republics on earth.

Dogs Vs. Schedule K.

One of the greatest kicks over the recent tariff is on "Schedule K," which covers the duty on wool. This is claimed to enhance the price of clothing of such an extent as to make household expenses burdensome to the family, and to curtail wearing wool garments to the detriment of the physical well being of the people generally.

If the truth of the matter were known, the high cost of wool is due as much if not more to dogs than to the notorious "Schedule K." In the eastern States in particular is the decline in the production of wool noticeable. Washington county used to be in the front rank among all the counties in the United States. Now the production has fallen away off, because of the ravages of dogs, the farmers say. From January 1 to November 21 of this year Washington county has paid dog damage claims amounting to \$5,097.23. It still has unpaid claims amounting to \$5,000. Can anything be more discouraging to the sheep-raising industry than this record for one county?

By eliminating "Schedule K" entirely and permitting free trade in dogs, wool prices will continue to advance. All the tax that a man pays anyhow on a twenty-five dollar suit of clothes, is probably less than seventy five cents, and as the average man doesn't buy more than one or two such suits a year his tax to maintain the general government is not excessive. The revenue is needed for the expenses of the government, and if the tax of "Schedule K" is removed it will have to be placed on "Schedule X, Y or Z," or somewhere else along the line. It is free trade in dogs that is responsible for the high price of wool, not "Schedule K."

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Every man is more or less vain and likes to glance in the mirror. But he is very particular about being caught in such an act.

Ever since Sam Todd mentioned that goose farm idea the other night at the banquet, feathers have been flying. So says John H. Bowers, and being the president of the Business Men's Association he is entitled to know.

A husband who objected to his wife opening his mail took to speaking her. Possibly because he had no children to practice on.

They are complaining in Philadelphia that hat pins are too long. Even the old Quaker city has made a discovery of a fact already well known in CharleROI.

The new crinoline cloak for aviators might also come handy on elevators and—other things—which make a specialty of doing flying stunts.

In a dear little village there lived a small boy with proclivities. Owing to the nature of his proclivities they called him Middlesome Mortimer. Leaving things alone was the best thing he didn't do.

In a certain period of his career he wandered down to old man Lightes coal elevator and pulled the rope that controlled the nut coal bin, neglecting to stand 60 feet from the rope when pulling it.

This was also the most successful period of Middlesome Mortimer's career, in the sense that a period means a full stop.

Dr. Cook says he came over to America and stayed a month and nobody knew him. That's not very strange.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

Methodist

At the Methodist Episcopal Church on Sunday morning the pastor will preach on "Family Religion." At the evening service he will deliver the first of a series of sermons on "The Evils of Modern Society," which will be of great importance and interest. The subject for Sunday night's sermon is "Bad Literature" and will be the monthly sermon to young people. Everybody welcome. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian

Sunday school at 9:45. This will be Missionary Day morning service at 11. Theme, "Is He Yours?" Evening service at 7:30. Sermon, "A Prayer at Court." Jr. C. E. at 2:15. Leader, Lela Roney. Sr. C. E. at 6:45. Leader, Mrs. Frank Ranson. Topic, "The Worth While Life." Regular Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:45. Blue Envelope for Board of Education, Dec. 4. All are welcome to these services. Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

Christian

Bible school at 9:45. Communion and preaching at 11. Topic, "Duties of Elders." This is the first of a series of duties of officers and members. Mission band at 2. Evening worship at 7:30. Topic, "The Appeal of Satan and The Appeal of Christ." C. E. at 6:45. Prayer meeting and Teacher Training Wednesday evening at 7:30. Rev. V. G. Hostetter, minister.

Episcopal

Corner Sixth and Lookout. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Anti-communion service, sermon and celebration of the holy communion at 11. Subject, "Man Doth Not Live by Bread Alone." Evening prayer and confederation address at 7:30. All are cordially welcome. Rev. L. W. Shey, rector.

Baptist

Sunday school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11. Theme, "Submission and Responsibility." Evening service at 7:30. Theme, "Chaos, an Emblem of the Unrenewed Soul." A cordial invitation is extended to all. Rev. C. Joshua, pastor.

Christ Lutheran

Sixth street and Washington avenue. Teacher Training class at 9. Sunday school at 9:45. Divine worship at 11 and 7:30, with sermons by the pastor. Luther League at 6:30. Leader, Miss Ada Wolf. At the close of the evening service, the Ladies Aid Society will meet to complete arrangements for the Sample Sale to be held by them, December 15, 16 and 17. A most cordial welcome to the public to come and worship with us. Rev. Chalmers E. Frontz, minister.

Brigade at Rink

The CharleROI Boys' Brigade has arranged for the use of the CharleROI rink for every Monday evening, beginning at 7 o'clock. It will be used for basketball or whatever the brigade may desire.

Will Hold Bazaar

The First Baptist church is arranging to hold a bazaar in the Clement building on McKean avenue and Fourth street next Friday and Saturday, November 9 and 10.

GET NEW MEMBERS THROUGH CONTEST

Final Literary Meeting of Protected Home Circle Held Last Night

Last evening marked the closing of the P. H. C. contest which started September 16. This has been the greatest contest in the history of the CharleROI lodge as 112 new members have been added with 36 or more awaiting initiation. This puts CharleROI in the lead in the district with great hopes of winning the State banner. Last evening the Orange and Black had the away and one of the best programs of the season was rendered. The "Dish Rag," edited by Frank B. Taylor with its complimentary in which he drew the members of the lodge in a ridiculous fashion, was the big hit of the evening. State Deputy Stark conferred the obligation to 31 new members. This is the largest class ever initiated in CharleROI in the P. H. C.

At the close of the literary program the final standing of the two sides, Orange and Black and Green and Yellow was made known. The Yellow and Green, headed by Emil Velletay won by 120 points and now the Orange and Black will serve supper. The trip to Pittsburg will be made December 14 on two special street cars.

MINERS DENOUNCE NEWSPAPER ATTACKS ON PRES. FEEHAN

To the Officers and Members of the U. M. W. of A., District No. 5: At a meeting of Local Union No. 235, Black Diamond Mine, held November 29, 1910, the following resolution was adopted:

We, the members of said local union condemn those so called friends of labor such as the Labor World, and the Pittsburg Leader, for their vicious attacks on our district officers. We are convinced that this is a gigantic conspiracy to defeat the miners of the Irwin field who are struggling against the tyranny of the coal barons of that field.

We also desire to inform the public that the character of those who are manufacturing affidavits is well known to our miners, and they will be dealt with in the very near future as all traitors should be.

Signed in behalf of Local Union John Day, Financial Secretary. William Feehey, Recording Secretary. The following are the Mine Committee:

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A card schedule of the Pittsburg, Virginia and Charleston railway short line dated Sunday, May 19, 1913, is in possession of M. T. Crowley, the McKear avenue undertaker. The schedule shows that at that time eight trains a day were run to Monongahela where connections were made by packers with Brownsville. The schedule describes the route as the "quickest and most direct to and from Pittsburg, McKeesport, Elizabeth, Brownsville and all intermediate points on the Monongahela River."

It was just at this time that the P. V. and C. was extending its system from Monongahela to West Belle Vernon. There were four accommodation trains, two mail trains and two express trains run on the line at that time, and a noticeable feature prominently announced on the schedule is a church train which left Monongahela every Sunday at 8 o'clock, stopping at all points for passengers and reaching Pittsburg at 10:08. The return church train left Pittsburg at 12:40. Rates at that time were always as low as by boat on the Pittsburg trip. All trains ran direct to and from what was then the new station at the corner of Fourth Avenue and Ivy street, Pittsburg. John F. Scott was the assistant superintendent, and William J. Roscoe, general freight and passenger agent, and John Myers, chief engineer and superintendent.

Local Rollers Beat Belle Vernon Team

On the Crescent Bowling alleys Thursday evening, the Crescent team of duck pinists defeated the Belle Vernon team of rollers in three matches. The scores were as follows:

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Dancing School Tuesday Night

Prof. Oatman will teach the Esperito Waltz Tuesday. Night class at 7:30. Social dance from 9 to 12 p. m. 9913

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is to serve your needs. It will help sell your goods—talk to the people you want to reach. An advertisement in this paper is a reference guide to those whose wants are worth supplying.

Getting Rich Quick.

A souse waltzed into a downtown barber shop and after being shaved sat down in the bootblack's chair. "How do you get paid? Wages?" he asked.

"No, suh," answered the bootblack; "I work on a percentage. Sixty per cent's mine."

"Shickshy p'cent yours?" said the souse deliberately. "Shickshy p'cent."

"Yes, suh."

"You taken in hundred dollars you keep shickshy?"

"Yes, suh."

"You take in thousand you keep shickshy hundred?"

"Yes, suh."

"An' hundred thousand you keep shickshy thousand?"

"Yes, suh."

"My, my," said the souse in puzzled manner, "what're you goin' to do with so much money?"—New York Journal.

Warning the Colonel.

A raw recruit from a remote corner of the Green Isle was engaged for the first time in a field maneuver in England on outpost duty. The sergeant instructed him to look out carefully for the colonel coming to inspect the post.

After an hour he returned and asked the soldier, "Has the colonel been here?"

Receiving an answer in the negative, he went away, returning later on with the same inquiry.

While later the colonel appeared. The recruit did not salute properly, which annoyed the colonel, who as a hint asked him,

"Do you know who I am?"

"Fah! I'd like to see!" answered the recruit.

"I am the colonel!"

"Oh, my! oh, my!" said the soldier, "the sergeant has been telling me you were already."

Far From Upright

The colonel was having it out with a man who had been drinking. "You are a good deal better off now," said the colonel, "than you were when you were a soldier."

"Before you commenced to be a soldier," said the man, "I was a fair sized fellow, and with that they started me on a diet of hard work and no sleep. I was a good deal better off then."

"It was," returned an onlooker.

"An' you, thin, can be expectin' me ter fight 'im fairly if he do be knockin' me down all the time?"—London Ideals.

A Polished Diplomat.

"Did you see anything that particularly struck your fancy when you were looking round the furniture shops today?" asked a young husband of his lately made wife on her return from a tour of furniture inspection.

"Yes," she replied, "I saw something exceedingly pretty in looking glasses."

"I have no doubt you did," he observed, "if you looked into them."

The halo of a calm, sweet peace rests upon that home.

Idleness.

It is an undoubted truth that the less one has to do the less one finds time to do it in. One yawns, one procrastinates, one can do it when one will, and therefore one seldom does it at all, whereas those who have a great deal of business must buckle to it, and then they always find time enough to do it in.

The Hardest Thing.

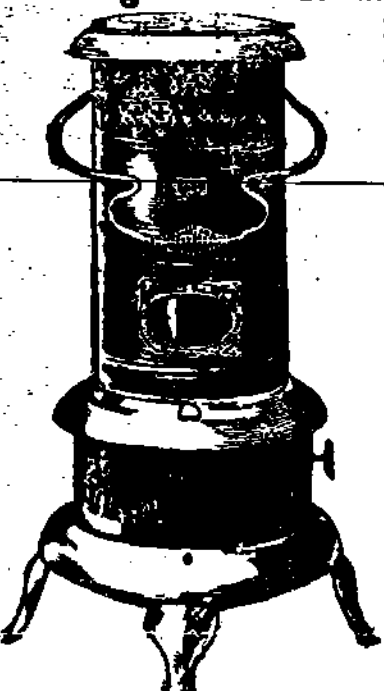
"What's the hardest thing about roller skating when you're learning?" asked a hesitating young man of the instructor at a rink.

"The door," answered the attendant.



The Girl Who Lives Alone

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AMONG THE THEATRES

The Palace—Charleroi.

Unfounded suspicion will often lead to a hasty conclusion to be repented of at leisure, as shown by a graphic photoplay at the Palace Theatre this week. The story was that of a woman who cannot be consoled over the death of her little child. Both her husband and her doctor try to assuage her grief, but without avail. Finally the woman surreptitiously steals away every day to an orphan asylum, where she devotes her time to caring for the little ones there. Her husband notices her absence, and jumps to the conclusion that his wife is deceiving him. He employs a detective, and they trace the woman to the orphanage. Both rush in expecting to find some startling sensations, but they find instead the woman giving her loving care to the orphans about her. Explanations follow, and the scene ends happily. Many other strong features were shown during the week. A feature to be adopted shortly, will be tuxedo dress suits for the orchestra and other attaches.

The Nixon—Pittsburg

"The Dollar Princess" which Charles Frohman will present at the Nixon next week, comes to Pittsburg from Vienna via London, New York and Chicago. The musical comedy is said to possess the good taste and delicate grace of the Viennese opera, together with the dash and cleverness of the home made musical comedy. There are 22 musical numbers, all good, some better and some exceptional.

The story concerns an American girl who is the daughter of the president of a coal trust and known as "The Dollar Princess". She falls in love with a young Englishman and in spite of her dollars she is unable to secure him until just before the curtain falls on the last act when of course, he succumbs to the charms of all the waltz lofts of the evening. The millionaire has an affair with an alleged countess who turns out to be a lion tamer, and his niece Daisy marries a young marquis and then refuses to be anything but his friend.

The company is headed by Donald Brian, who won fame and fortune as the original Prince Danilo in "The Merry Widow." Others in the cast are Daisy LeHay, Hilda Vining, Carroll McComes, F. Pope Stamper, Cyril Biddulph, Will West, E. J. Connelly, George Reed and a chorus, of exceptionally good voices.

The Grand—Pittsburg

"The New Leader"—which Sam Mann and company will present as the premier feature of a bill of prime vaudeville at the Grand next week, has scored, a substantial and artistic success in New York, Philadelphia and Boston. It depicts characteristic incidents of a Monday morning rehearsal in a vaudeville show. The cast numbers eight people who represent a German orchestra leader, a stage manager a monologist, a property man, a trap drummer a sister act and a headliner. This octet gets very much entangled in the dialogue that ensues while "the new leader" is endeavoring to get the music in shape for the after-noon performance. Incidentally a love talk is interwoven.

Witching Bessie Wynn, formerly of "The Wizard of Oz" and "Babes in Toyland" will present a cycle of seven songs. Her costumes are frequently changed, but the personality of Bessie Wynn, whether in tights or frocks, is of the same seductive quality.

Clifford Walker a newcomer to us, will present a musical monologue entitled "After Dinner." "Just From College" is the title of an act to be given by Conian Steel and Carr. It is a musical comedy in miniature, the two young men and the clever girl comprising the trio introducing song and dance specialties and witty dialogue.

Caplan Maximilian Gruber and Mile. Adalina will introduce their equestrian review. It features the act of "Minnie" a three ton elephant—an elephant whose intelligence is exemplified in many different ways. There are gayly caparisoned horses and ponies which perform entertainingly, responsive to every command of their trainers.

"Hoopland" is the style of the Three Cretons entertainment. Goldsmith and Hoppe will present a refined brother act and there will be other specialties in addition to moving pictures.

The Alvin—Pittsburg

When Fritz Sheff appears in the role of Yum-Yum in the Messrs. Schubert's revival of the famous Gilbert and Sullivan opera "The Mikado" at the Alvin Theatre next week, it will mark the first appearance of a grand opera star in that particular role. It was a somewhat

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daring idea of Mr. Lee Shubert's to cast Mme. Schell as Yum-Yum when he presented "The Mikado" with an all star cast at the New York Casino last spring. But the New York reviewers were unanimous in saying that the famous diva was never more artistic than as the beautiful kimonoed ward of K-Ko, the Lord High Executioner of Japan.

Mme. Schell, who graduated from the grand opera state to become the leading light opera singer of America comes by her remarkable talent naturally for her mother, Mme. Schell Jaeger, was one of the best known prima donnas in German grand opera. When she was three years old little Fritz was regarded as a prodigy. She sang so well. Her wise mother, knowing that a prima donna was worth a dozen child wonders would not allow her to sing in public then, but at an early age started to train her voice.

She made her professional debut as a prima donna when she was 17 years old, appearing as Juliet in Gounod's "Romeo and Juliet" and scored an instantaneous triumph. She received the musical training in Germany, where she learned many roles and also received an excellent schooling. While she was undergoing this course Maurice Grau heard her and immediately determined that she was just the singer he wanted for the Metropolitan Grand Opera company of which he was then the presiding genius.

New Duquesne—Pittsburg.

George Ade's most famous comedy, "The College Widow," with its big football game scene and its exuberantly funny college town characters and types is to be the notably mirth, provoking attraction at the Duquesne Theatre next week. This will be the first time that this George Ade masterpiece of humor and stage characterization has ever been offered in his city in stock or at the extremely low prices which now prevail at this popular playhouse. As for the college types, who that has seen them can ever forget Bob Hicks, the transformed Freshman; "Silent" Murphy; Flora Wiggins, the "prominent waittress" and all the other eccentric and delightful personages of this over-bubblingly funny play. A big crowd of auxiliaries has been specially engaged for the football scene and there is every reason to anticipate one of the liveliest and most exhilarating of events on the Duquesne stage next week. Mary Hall, will of course, enact the role of the fickle college widow, while Albert Morrison will be that valiant football hero, Billie Bolton, who enrolls in the wrong college and wins the game for it. All matinees at the Duquesne, except Saturday, are now only 25 cents for the entire house—no higher. This means 1,000 reserved seats. For the evening prices, the entire lower floor is reserved for 50 cents and no higher, except for four rows the entire balcony is only 25 cents for the evening performance.

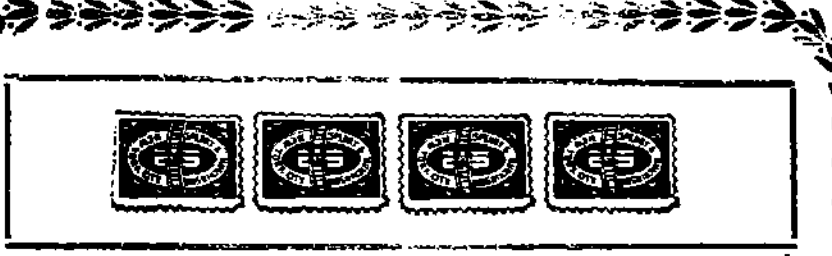
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A recent development of the mail order business is the buying by mail of food. This system was inaugurated in this section last fall by McCann and Co., of Pittsburgh, who sold 10-pound pails of Butterine at \$2.00. The effort was so successful that they have decided to extend their plan this year.

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### ROYAL ARCANUMS

#### TO GIVE MINSTREL

Charleroi Council No. 1240, Royal Arcanum, are organizing the Royal Minstrels for a minstrel performance to be given after the holidays with Charleroi and Pittsburgh talent. The committee is composed of J. B. Schafer, Jos. Allsopp, Joe. Schoener, J. O. Bechtel, E. I. Eckel, G. T. Barger, and C. Feste.

### FEATURE SHOW

#### COMING TO STAR

Beginning Monday, December 6 the great musical comedy, "My Uncle From New York," will be presented at the Star Theatre for three nights. The comedy is said to be one of the best in its class, with lots of good singing, dancing and new and up-to-date song bits. The company contains such clever comedians as C. Matthews, Pat LeRoy and Walter Wright, and the bright and sparkling comedienne Misses Ethel Wright and Kathryn Irving. Miss Vesta Wallace, the sensational toe dancer with up-to-date songs, is also a leading feature of the company.

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### LOCAL MENTION

#### Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

Mrs. S. R. Collins and son and Miss Ella Greenwood are Pittsburgh visitors today.

Mrs. W. R. McKean and son went to Pittsburgh today for a visit.

This morning some excitement was caused when a boy coasting on Fifth street ran into a horse at the corner of Washington avenue and Fifth street. Neither the horse or the boy were hurt to any extent.

W. C. Reeves is a Pittsburgh business visitor today.

C. H. Lombard, a representative of the Unitype company of New York city after doing repair work on the Mail's Simplotypesetting machine, has left for Baltimore, Md.

Victor Bozezinski and Miss Ludwika Gezenoyicka were married by Justice of the Peace E. E. Rice last evening.

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#### STEEL CARS ARE

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Work will be started in a few days by the Pressed Steel Car company on the construction of 50 steel motor cars ordered by the Pittsburgh Railways company, which, when equipped with all apparatus, will cost about \$350,000. The new cars will be practically the same as the steel cars of Series 4000 now in operation, with the exception that a number of improvements on that type of a minor sort have been made. Plans for these detailed improvements have been completed so that no further delay will be permitted in beginning the erection of the cars. Work will be hurried through this winter.

The cars will be 46 feet 8 inches long and each will have a seating capacity of 56 passengers. One improvement over the Series 4000 cars will be the use of steel posts to give added strength. The rear platform will be made a little longer and the two rear doors will be widened to permit of the easier entrance and exit of passengers. Rattan will be used on the seats and the longitudinal seats will have a dip similar to that of the seats in the new steel trailer. This type of seats will prove more comfortable for the passengers. The smaller seats behind the motorman will be extended across the car to prevent passengers from interfering with the motorman's work.

### WOMAN ELECTED PRESIDENT OF A COAL COMPANY

At the organization of the Phyllis Mining company at Uniontown this week a woman had the somewhat unique distinction of being elected to the presidency of the company. Valley capital is interested, and Mrs. Katharine McGough of Monongahela is the newly-elected official head. The purpose is to mine coal near Cheat Haven.

#### Make Pathway

The borough street department has made a path of ashes down Fifth street for pedestrians. Since the time of the recent snow the street has been slippery and hardly passable.

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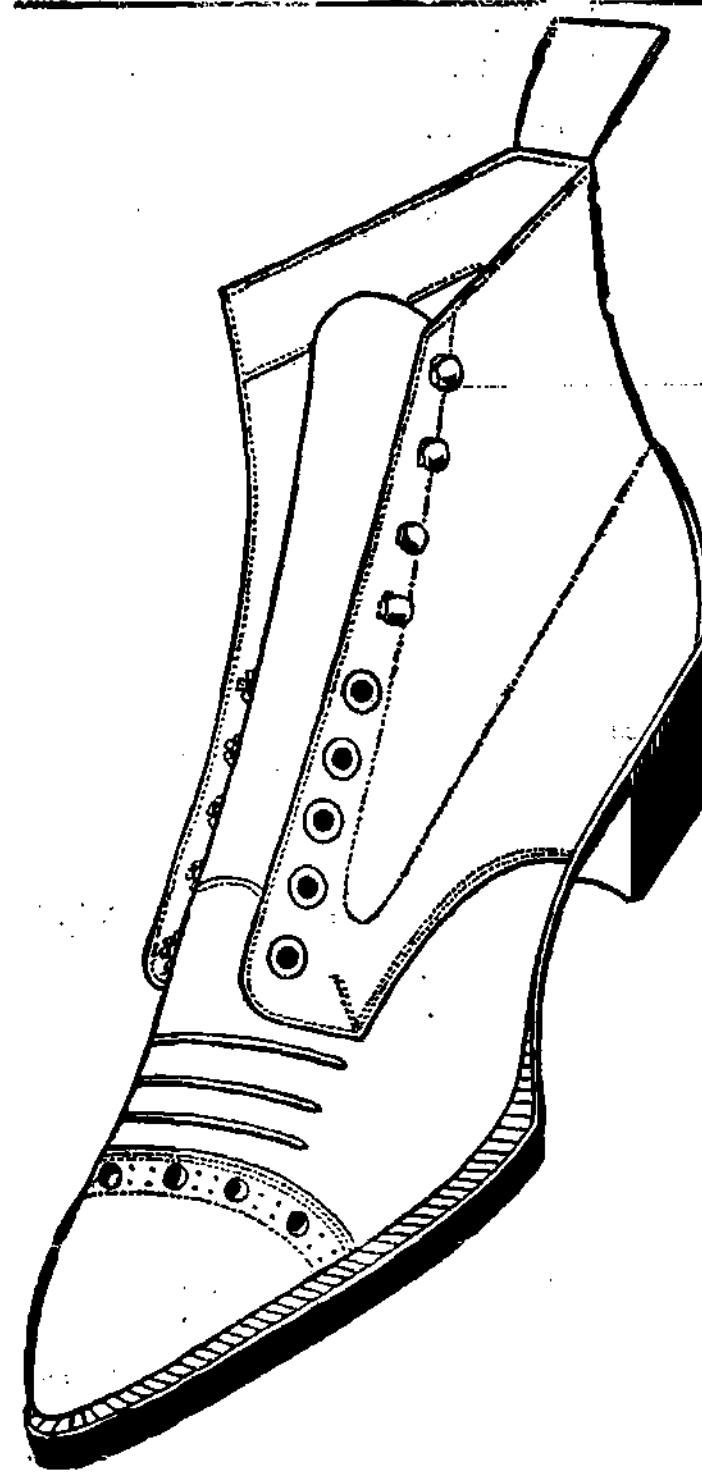
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